12.00 Noon

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Memorandum of understanding (2001-2002) between the Government of India (Ministry of Water Resources) and The Water and Power Consultancy Services (India) Limited

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI ARJUN CHARAN SETHI): Sir, I lay on the Table a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Memorandum of Understanding between the Government of India (Ministry of Water Resources) and the Water and Power Consultancy Services (India) Limited for the year 2001-2002. [Placed in Library. *See* L.T. 3887/01]

I. **Memorandum of Understanding (2001-2002) between the Government of India (Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas) and Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited.**

II. **Memorandum of Understanding (2001-2002) between the Government of India (Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas) and Oil India Limited.**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH GANGWAR) : I lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:

(i) Memorandum of Understanding between the Government of India (Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas) and Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited for the year 2001-2002. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 3919/01]

(ii) Memorandum of Understanding between the Government of India (Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas) and Oil India Limited for the year 2001-2002. [Placed in Library. *See* L.T. No. 3918/01]

Notifications of the Ministry of Finance

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE-PATIL) : Sir, on behalf of SHRI GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN, I lay on the Table :-

I. A copy each (*in* English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance, (Department Revenue), under sub-section (2) of section 38 *of the* Central Excise Act, 1944, together with Explanatory Memoranda on the Notifications:

(1) G.S.R. 538(E) dated 17th July, 2001 publishing Notification number 37/2001-Central Excise dated 17th July, 2001 seeking to amend Notification No. 43/2000-Central Excise dated 18.8.2000 so as to extend its validity till 31st July 2003.

(2) G.S.R. 539(E) dated 17th July, 2001 publishing Notification number 38/2001-Central Excise dated 17th July, 2001 amending notification No. 32/99-Central Excise dated 8.7.99, so as to extend the scope of exemption from excise duty to industries located in the State of Arunachal Pradesh. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 3885/01]

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of *Finance*, (Department of Economic Affairs) (Banking Division), under sub-section (3) of section 52 of the Small Industries Development Bank of *India* Act, 1989:

(1) F. No. LD 63/Legal dated 13th November, 2000 publishing the Small Industries Development Bank of India General Regulations, 2000.

(2) PD. No. SIDBI/ Superannuation Fund dated 16th February, 2001 publishing the Small Industries (Development Bank of India) *Employees* Gratuity and Superannuation Fund Regulations, 2000. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 3651/01]

III. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of *Finance*, (Department of Economic Affairs) (Banking Division) Notification F.No.LD/63/Legal dated 22nd December, 2000 publishing the corrigendum to Small *Industries* Development Bank of India General Regulations, 2000. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 4166/01]

IV. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of *Finance*, (Department Revenue), under section 159 of the Customs Act, 1962, together with Explanatory Memoranda on the Notifications:

(1) G.S.R. 536(E) dated 17th July, 2001 publishing Notification number 77/2001-Customs dated 17th July, 2001 seeking to amend Notification No. 7/2001-Customs dated 27th January, 2001 so as to extend its validity till 31st July 2002. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 3881/01]

(2) G.S.R. 537(E) dated 17th July, 2001 publishing Notification number 78/2001-Customs dated 17th July, 2001 seeking to impose final anti-dumping duty on seamless pipes and tubes of specified grades originating in or exported from Russia, Romania, Austria and Czech Republic and imported into India. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 3882/01]

(3) G.S.R. 546(E) dated 20th July, 2001 publishing the Notification number 81/2001-Customs dated 20th July, 2001 seeking to amend Sr. No. 15 of Notification No. 39/96-Customs dated 23rd July, 1996 so as to extend the validity of the exemption available to the import of machinery, instruments, tools and their accessories required for setting up of ammunition filling facility in the Ordnance Factory, Badmal, District Bolangir, Orissa upto 31st July, 2002. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 3881/01]

V. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance, (Department Revenue), under sub-section (7) of section 9A of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 together with Explanatory Memoranda on the Notifications:

(1) G.S.R. 542(E) dated 18th July, 2001 publishing Notification number 79/2001-Customs 18th July, 2001 seeking to impose provisional anti dumping duty on 2-Methyl, (5) Nitro Imidazole, commonly known as 2-MNI, originating in or exported from China.

(2) G.S.R. 545(E) dated 20th July, 2001 publishing Notification number 80/2001-Customs dated 20th July, 2001 seeking to impose, provisionally, anti-dumping duty on ferro silicon originating in or exported from, Ukraine, and imported into India. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 3882/01]

VI. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Finance, (Department of Revenue) Notification G.S.R. 533(E) dated 16th July, 2001 publishing Notification number 9/2001-ST, dated 9.4.99 providing for exemption to taxable service specified in sub-section(48) of section 65 of Finance Act, 1994 in respect of which payment received in India in convertible foreign exchange, from the whole of the service tax, under sub-section (4) of section 94 of the Finance Act, 1994 together with Explanatory Memorandum on the Notification. [Placed in Library. *See* No L.T. 3883/01]

Notifications of the Ministry of Communications

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR): Sir, I lay a copy (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Communications (Department of Telecommunications) together with delay statement, under Section 737 of the Telecom Regulatory Aughority of India, Act, 1997:-

(1) F. No. 108-4/98-TRAI (Tech.) dated 16th January, 2001 publishing the Regulation on Guidelines for Registration of Consumer Organizations/Non-Government Organizations (NGOs) and their Interaction with TRAI, 2001.

(2) F. No. 108-4/98-TRAI (Tech.) dated 20th March, 2001 publishing the Regulation on Guidelines for Registration of Consumer Organizations/Non-Government Organizations (NGOs) and their Interaction with TRAI (First Amendment) 2001. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 3891/01]

I. **Notification of the Ministry of Finance amending the earlier notification**

II. **Report (for the year ended 31st March, 2001) of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India - Union Government - Defence Services (Army and Ordnance Factories)**

III. **Appropriation accounts (1999-2000) of the Defence Services**

IV. **Report (for the year ended 31st March, 2000) of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India - Union Government - Defence Service (Air Force and Navy)**

V. **report (for the year ended 31st March, 2000) of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India - Union Government (Indirect taxes - Customs)**